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SUBJ: VENEZUELAN FORESTRY PROJECT

REF: USDOC 13754

1. IT IS LIKELY THAT CVG CITED IN REFTEL WILL OFFER  
MANY NEW SALES OPPORTUNITIES FOR TIMBER HARVESTING AND PROCESS-  
ING EQUIPMENT.

2. IN A RECENT CONVERSATION WITH CVG PRESIDENT ARGENIS GAMBOA,  
EMBOFF WAS TOLD THAT THE FIRST PLANTINGS OF SEVERAL TENS OF  
MILLIONS OF CARIBBEAN PINES WILL BEGIN TO MATURE AROUND 1982-  
1985.

3. CVG PROJECT IS UNIQUE IN VENEZUELA. THERE ARE NO OTHER  
MANAGED FORESTS IN VENEZUELA, NOR LARGE SCALE TIMBER EXPLOITA-  
TION ACTIVITIES (1974 FORESTRY PRODUCTION WAS VALUED AT LESS  
THAN \$18 MILLION).

4. EMBASSY INTENDS TO CONTACT INDIVIDUAL IN CHARGE OF CVG'S  
FORESTRY PROGRAM IN THE NEAR FUTURE TO OBTAIN WHAT EVER HARD  
INFORMATION MAY BE AVAILABLE ABOUT CVG'S FORESTRY RESOURCE  
EXPLOITATION PLANS AS THEY RELATE TO POTENTIAL U.S. EXPORT  
OPPORTUNITIES.

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